

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

DeGRADO *et al.*

Application No.: 10/801,951

(Appeal No. 2010-005832)

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Oligomers and Uses Thereof**

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**Petition to Suspend Under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.183 and 41.4 to Allow
for Extension of Time Period for Response to the Order
Under 37 C.F.R. § 41.50(d)**

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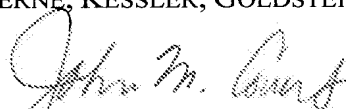
Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.183, Applicants hereby petition to suspend the requirement of a non-extendable time period to respond under 37 C.F.R. § 41.50(d) to petition under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.182 and 41.4 for a two-week extension of time to respond to the May 9, 2011, Order for Briefing issued by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences. Applicants are filing herewith a petition under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.182 and 41.4 to request the two-week extension of time from the June 6, 2011, deadline established in the Order.

This petition is being filed electronically in the matter of Ex Parte Degrado *et al.*, Appeal No. 2010-005832, Application No. 10/801,951, Technology Center 1600. The petition fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(f) in the amount of \$400.00 is submitted with this petition. Any part of the petition fee not paid herewith is hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036.

Respectfully submitted,

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